

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re Application of:	
AKIKO HIRAO et al.	Group Art Unit: 1756
Application No.: 10/775,060	) ) Examiner: Angebranndt, Martin J. )
Filed: February 11, 2004	) )
For: OPTICAL RECORDING MEDIUM AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING OPTICAL RECORDING MEDIUM	Confirmation No.: 3322

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed June 7, 2007, the period for response to which having been extended through October 9, 2007 (October 7<sup>th</sup> being a Sunday and October 8<sup>th</sup> being a Federal Holiday), by a Petition for Extension of Time of one month and requisite fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicants submit this Amendment, with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) also filed herewith. This Amendment fulfills the requirement for a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114.

Applicants respectfully request the Examiner amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper.